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SUBJECT: 1977 SSA PROGRAM

- 1. NEA BUREAU HAS DECIDED TO PUSH FOR REVISED OPTION OF DOLS 161.5 MILLION FOR FY 79, WHICH INCLUDES DOLS 35 MILLION FOR BUDGET SUPPORT, DOLS 50 MILLION FOR POTASH, DOLS 45 MILLION FOR MAQARIN AND DOLS 31.5 MILLION FOR BASIC PROGRAMS, INCLUDING AMMAN WATER. THIS IS IDENTICAL INALL RESPECTS TO AID'S SEPARATELY SUBMITTED MINIMUM, PREFERRED PACKAGE, EXCEPT FOR BUDGET SUPPORT. WE WILL SUPPORT MAQARIN AS A SEPARATE LINE ITEM MULTI-YEAR COMMITMENT. OUR FALLBACK POSITION WOULD CUT DOLS 25 MILLION FROM POTASH ON THE UNDERSTANDING IT COULD BE MADE A MULTI-YEAR LINE ITEM COMMITMENT, WITH DOLS 25 MILLION FOR FY 1980.
- 2- NEXT HURDLE IS INTER-AGENCY REVIEW CHAIRED BY PM ON CONFIDENTIAL

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AUGUST 29.

3. I BELIEVE WE NOW HAVE A SOUND, DEFENSIBLE PROGRAM--WITH ADEQUATE POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC JUSTIFICATIONS--WHICH MEETS YOUR BASIC REQUIREMENTS. CHRISTOPHER

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